



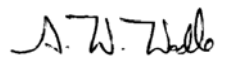
## IRONHORSE VISION STATEMENT

1. We are a Marine Heavy Helicopter Squadron. Our mission is to provide heavy lift assault support to the Marine Air-Ground Task Force (MAGTF) Commander and to our fellow Marines in every clime and place.

2. Our squadron has a long and illustrious history. Our motto, "Mission First, People Always" exemplifies our outlook on life and our role in it. We will be successful because we will:

- 1) Be tactically and technically proficient. We will make an investment in ourselves so as to ensure mission accomplishment while fostering the growth and development of the next generation of Ironhorse Marines.
- 2) Live by our Core Values. Honor, Courage, and Commitment are the hallmarks of a professional. Flying, maintaining our aircraft, and conducting ourselves with integrity will be an absolute necessity.
- 3) Concentrate on the fundamentals. "Beauty in the basics" will be our focus. The skill sets we refine and perfect in training will be our saving grace in combat.
- 4) Be humble and lead by example in every endeavor. Our reputation as an outstanding squadron will be known, we won't have to remind anyone.
- 5) Take care of our own. Providing for our Marines and their families is our moral responsibility. Developing and maintaining a robust Family Readiness Program that informs, educates, and supports will be the cornerstone of this practice.

3. The future is ours. I am extremely proud to be a part of the Ironorse team and I look forward to joining you as we write the next chapter in our squadron's history.

  
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